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NEWSLETTER OF THE PIKES PEAK GAY COMMUNITY CENTER

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WE NEED YOU, WE NEED YOUR TIME AND YOUR HELP...

But more than that we need to know that a Center is what you need. The Board of the Pikes Peak Gay Community Center has felt that we needed a physical location; a place to hold meetings, have a library, be a center of communication for our Gay community.

Many of you have shared that concern with us, now share your selves with us.

What do we need? We need people to help with the library, be at the Center so other members can spend time there, checking out books, tapes and movies as well as reading newspapers from all over the world and catching up on news and notices from all over.

We also need people who are willing to participate in groups at the Center, helping those groups stay alive and viable. We also need people to help create new groups and activities so that we can truly meet the needs of our Gay community.

Basically, now is the time when you can put your energy, time and money where your mouths have been.

If you care, come to one of the Open Houses (July 19, 20 & 21 from 7 to 9p.m.), get involved.

Now, some of you may be asking, who is paying for this? That is a very good question.

The answer is: memberships; donations; a minimal $5 fee for room rent for groups and organizations; fund raisers and "?" What are your answers?

It is important for you to understand that the Board does not see this location as the "ideal" answer, in fact we see it as temporary.

We fervently hope that you, the Gay community of Colorado Springs and the Pikes Peak Region will agree with us when we say that we need a different space and soon.

We need a place that is handicap accessible (this is a priority); a place that has more room(s); a place where we can have more than one function at a time, etc.

We are on a month to month agreement with our landlords. If we are not supported by the Community we will leave and there will not be a Center. It is that simple.

If the Community agrees with us and feels the need to have this and/or a better place, then we will continue to grow and be a vital, viable option for everyone.

ITS UP TO YOU, ITS UP TO ALL OF US.

GAYSPEAK TO COME OUT IN MID-MONTH

Due to a series of things, beyond our control, this issue of GAYSPEAK is very late. We apologize to our readers and advertisers.

But this underscores a trend we have been seeing for the last several months. In keeping with this, we are changing our publication time to mid-month.

If you are one of our many contributors please take note of the following changes:

1. THERE WILL BE NO MORE DEADLINE EXTENSIONS. DEADLINES ARE ESTABLISHED SO THAT WE CAN GET THE PAPER DONE AND MAILED, PLEASE PAY ATTENTION;

2. CALENDAR information must be to the GAYSPEAK editor by the LAST DAY of the month and should include the first three weeks of the next month.

3. All groups must have their reports in at the Center Board meetings. Additional dates may be added for the calendar until the last day of the month.

4. Advertising copy (camera ready) must be in to Rick by the end of the first week in each month. UNLESS OTHER ARRANGEMENTS ARE MADE--WE MUST HAVE THE MONEY AT THE TIME YOU TURN IN YOUR COPY.

5. General information, letters to the Editor, etc., must be turned in by the end of the first week in each month.

Thank you for your help, if we work together we can continue to make GAYSPEAK an important part of our Community.

FIRST ANNUAL CHILI COOK-OFF AND DOG SHOW

The Imperial Court of Southern Colorado and the Pikes Peak Gay Community Center have a challenge to make to our community.

If you think you can cook (chili that is) or if your dog has star quality. Come to the First Annual Chili Cook-off and Dog Show, slated for September 18 at the Counsel Grounds (site of the Reunion Picnic in June).

Get your cook-off teams together and start grooming those canines. More information will be in the next issue, but at this time, tentative competition is scheduled for the "cutest couple", butchest, best "drag", etc.

Prizes will be awarded and fun should be the rule.
(ANOTHER JOINT EFFORT BY ICSC AND PPGCC)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:

Dear Editor,

We read the letters in last month's issue about all of the people who wanted different options in our community.

We really appreciated your responses to them and wondered if any of those people who were so "interested" in the Community and the Community Center bothered to come to your Board meeting?

We have a bet going with some other friends. We say that they didn't show, our friends have more faith and felt that they were people who really wanted to do something. We think they were just complainers.

Who was right?
Sincerely,
M. Smenk and R. Tracey

Dear M.S. and R.T.,

Sadly, you win the bet. None of those people showed up at the Board meeting.

We (the Board) still welcome any positive input and suggestions.

If anyone has any ideas for new groups or activities, please come to a Board meeting (always the third Tuesday of each month) and present your plans. We will do what ever we can to promote activities which are positive and promote the well being of the Gay/lesbian Community of the Pikes Peak Region.

Sincerely,

Michelle A., Editor GAYSPEAK

Dear Editor,

I saw the t-shirts everyone from Colorado Springs had at the Pride March in Denver and I was wondering who designed them and if I could still get one.

I was also wondering where those window stickers came from.
Thanks,
Mike Gibbons

Dear Mike,

Our t-shirt artist is Rick Brown and I believe that if there are enough additional orders, he can get more shirts. (For those of you who haven't seen them, they are beautiful--come to the Open Houses and many of us will be wearing them).

Call the HELPLINE and leave a message for him, he can get back to you with the info.

I think the "Stickers" you are talking about are the neat "We are everywhere" and "Family On Board" window stickers printed by Echo Print for the Community Center. They cost just 75 cents each. They will be available at the Center.

Thank you for your interest.
Sincerely,
Michelle A., Editor, GAYSPEAK

CENTER NEWS

BOARD MEETING REPORT: The June 21, 1988 meeting began at 7p.m. and adjourned at 9:30p.m. This meeting had been scheduled to be an Open House for the Community. We were able to take those in attendance to the new Center location at 313 N. Tejon, suites #15 & 16 (above the Lotus Eater Boutique).

Because of this, there was not a formal Board meeting. The next Board meeting will take place at the new Center and there will be an Open House hosted by the Board and the HELPLINE after the meeting. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: The most important news is the fact that we now have a location. Tim Sanders, Treasurer, found the space for us and was able to call the Board together for a special meeting prior to the regular Board meeting. There was unanimous agreement that the Pikes Peak Gay Community Center would be temporarily housed in the two rooms at 313 N. Tejon.

VICE-PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Detailed information was received from UFMCC regarding the Memorial Wall at the Mother Church of MCC in Los Angeles. This was given to Michelle (GAYSPEAK Editor).

Contact was made with the 40+ Women's group regarding the new Center and the need for a librarian and a volunteer coordinator. Several people were willing to donate time and possibly some needed items for the Center.

An open letter was drafted to the community and the supporting community announcing the new Center and included an invitation to the Open Houses (see calendar).

A copy of this letter will be included with the current Newsletter mailing for Christ Chapel. A letter is also being sent to interested professors on the local campuses, asking them to share the information with interested campus groups.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: NONE

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Beginning checking balance as of 5/17/88 $143.32

Total deposits: $1752.23
(1,035.00 C.D., 388.00 Picnic [partial], 172.23 Advertising, 20.00 memberships, 10.00 Brown donation, 20.00 Terry S. donation, 107.00 Barb G. donation)

Total debts $405.10
(54.67 HELPLINE Phone, 140.00 Echo Print (GAYSPEAK printing), 33.43 postage, 177.00 Picnic supplies).

Checking Balance as of 6/21/88 $1490.45

A special thank you to everyone of our advertisers, and all of those who donated time and money to help keep the Center alive and well.

HELPLINE REPORT: The HELPLINE had an opportunity to help someone on an International level this month. A tourist from England became stranded in Colorado Springs after he lost all of his money. He had been able to get a bus ticket to his next destination but had no money for food. He called the HELPLINE, our volunteer was able to get in touch with PPGCC Treasurer, Tim Sanders, and the Board was able to help. He left Colorado, feeling very good about Americans, carrying a local newsletter, and he promised to repay the Center as soon as he was able.

This month there were 256 calls, an increase over last month. This is unusual for summer. And the number of calls for information about Center activities was equal to the inquiries about bars. This is also unusual for summer. Many people called in response to the ad we had on the Community Center list on television. It is suggested that we continue to list information about the Center on that public service listing.

The Helpline is being used more and more as a clearing house for information within the community. We need more volunteers to help keep this happening.

Currently there are 12 volunteers and 3 trainees. As we increase the number of volunteers we will be able to have a more elaborate training system and once trained a volunteer will be involved in fewer "phone" hours than is currently the case.

For more information about volunteering, call the HELPLINE.

GAYSPEAK: As you can see, advertising has increased dramatically. WE THANK ALL OF YOU, especially Dan Ames who was able to make the contacts for the June issue and to Rick Brown who has taken over the advertising responsibilities.

We must once again thank Marianne and 40+ Women, as well as Terry St. Clair for giving us their financial support. We couldn't do it without you.

Publication dates are changing. It has been decided that publication dates will now be the middle of each month, approximately the 15th of each month. See last page for advertising and article deadlines.

IMPERIAL COURT OF SOUTHERN COLORADO: (ED. NOTE: The Board of PPGCC would like to take this opportunity to congratulate Barb Granniss, Empress XIII and Dan Entler, Emperor XIII. We are looking forward to an exciting year of renewed Community unity.)

June 18 was Coronation and from all reports it was a very successful evening. Barb and Dan are planning many events designed to bring the Pikes Peak area's Gay community closer together. Watch GAY-SPEAK for more information. (see article)

Barb presented the Board with a check for over $100.00, money she had raised selling roses. Once again, we are very grateful for her energy and concern.

Investiture of the Line was on July 10 and at that time three proclamations were made, concerning the Court and the Community Center. The pledges included their pledge to work with the Center to find a permanent home (see article, page one); to support the Block Party in the Fall; and to continue to raise funds for the community, some of those funds specifically intended for the Center.

CHRISTOPHER ST.: They had a successful camping trip and hope to plan more events. Check the calendar for all of their meetings and activities.

SPEAKERS BUREAU: NO REPORT

PPMCC: Rev. Harrison was recently elected to the District Committee of MCC as the Clergy Representative. (see article)

Rev. Harrison's installation has been rescheduled for Sunday, July 31 at 5p.m. (see article). SEE CALENDAR FOR TIMES OF EVENTS.

CHRIST CHAPEL: SEE CALENDAR FOR TIMES AND EVENTS.

40+ WOMEN: The group will co-host the July 20th Open House at the new Community Center with Christopher St. See calendar for specific events and topics of discussion.

They helped serve lunch at the Picnic, their help was invaluable.

SISTERS OF SAPPHO: The group has agreed to co-host the July 21st Open House at the new Community Center with Step One.

They put together a fund raising booth at the Picnic, selling buttons and other items. The money they raised was very appreciated.

STEP ONE: The group will participate in the Center Open houses (see Sisters of Sappho). See calendar for other events.

They also had a booth at the Picnic and handed out trivia/history questionnaires they had compiled, and they gave away two free memberships. The purpose of their booth was to emphasize that as Gays we have a rich history and culture. There is a whole library of books available to Community Center members, and now that we have a Center location, the books can once again, be made available to the Community.

Everyone is invited to their next meeting, where they will talk about why we call ourselves a "Family".

GALA: NO REPORT

GLBQ: As of this month, we should have current information about this group available through the HELPLINE. They are interested in possibly pursuing the availability of the Center as a meeting place.

COLORADO GAY RODEO ASSOCIATION: The Rocky Mountain Regional Rodeo was at the Regency Hotel in Denver, July 1-4. The Rodeo was in conjunction with PRIDEFEST.

See the calendar for a list of specific events in July. Upcoming events for the summer include, CGRA Colorado Springs BBQ, Colorado State Fair, Calhan Fair, and Pikes Peak or Bust Rodeo. For more information, call 632-CGRA.

NEW BUSINESS: Basically new business was a discussion of the new Center and the need for commitments from groups and individuals. We are on a month-to-month agreement at the present location. If we are to get something bigger and better we need your help. It must be a Community effort.

OLD BUSINESS: Pride Week was a huge success. The week began with an all Gay rafting trip down the Arkansas River. Twenty-five of us had a great time, and

plan to put together more trips next year, including one down the Royal Gorge.

The Coronation finished off the evening (see ICSC report).

The Family Reunion Picnic was a lot of fun for everyone, and the money people spent, supporting the Community Center was really appreciated.

Saturday's candlelight vigil for AIDS victims and Sharon Kowalski was a very touching experience, reminding all of us of not only our mortality but our responsibilities to the people we love.

Each of the groups celebrated Pride Week in their own way. And many of the groups were represented at the Pride March in Denver on Sunday the 26th. We all had a great time and Colorado Springs was well represented.

PPMCC OFFERS WEEKEND OF SPIRITUAL RENEWAL

Are you tired, weary, loaded down with the problems of the world? If so, plan on attending a weekend of Spiritual Renewal, sponsored by Pikes Peak Metropolitan Community Church, August 26-28. See next month's GAYSPEAK for details.

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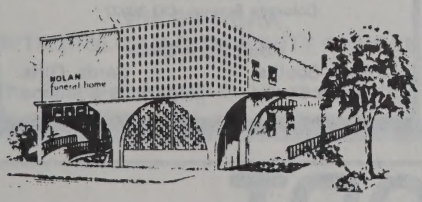

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"SAFETY PIN PRODUCTIONS" PROMOTION OF SAFE SEX MORE THAN FASHION STATEMENT

The safety pin is more than the latest fashion accessory trend. To many Gays, it is a symbol for safe sex.

The idea started two years ago when the Gay Men's Health Crises, a non-profit AIDS education service and advocacy organization in New York City, chose the safety pin as its symbol for safe sex.

"The idea was: safety pins, safe sex," said spokesman David Winters. Wearing the pins was just another way to promote the idea that safe sexual practices help slow the spread of AIDS, he said.

"Safety Pin Productions" is the name given to a group formed to stage a jazz concert at the Enzian Theater in Maitland, Fl. The concert was to raise funds for IDS projects and was headed up by Orlando actress, Miriam P. Saunders and Andy Geisel. The group "had to do with AIDS and taking care of yourself" said Saunders, hence the name.
(taken from Gazette Telegraph article)

GAY/LESBIAN CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY TREATMENT CENTER AVAILABLE

"Pride Institute", a Minnesota based treatment program has sent PPGCC one of its newsletters, "Our Voice". This program is specifically designed for the treatment of chemical dependency in the gay/lesbian community.

For more information, write: OUR VOICE, 14400 Martin Dr., Eden Prairie, MN 55344, or call (612)934-7554.

The newsletter will be kept at the Center, in the Library room. This will be one of several periodicals and newsletters available in the Center.

TAPESTRY PRODUCTIONS MAKES AWARD WINNING FILM AVAILABLE

"RIGHTS AND REACTIONS: Lesbian and Gay Rights on Trial." is "an impassioned, behind-the-scenes documentary about the fifteen year struggle to pass Gay Rights Legislation in New York City," says Tapestry Productions, producers of the film.

They have the VCR edition of the film available to our community for rent or purchase.

Their press release explains that "RIGHTS AND REACTIONS vividly documents

both sides of an inflammatory issue: legal and civil rights for lesbians and gay men. With the backdrop of the growing tragedy of the AIDS crisis and in the context of the New York City Council Hearing on the "Gay Rights Bill," RIGHTS AND REACTIONS captures a stirring political and emotional moment in the ongoing debate on civil rights.

Information about the film and renting it will be available at the Center in the Library room.

OPEN LETTER TO THE GAY COMMUNITY OF SOUTHERN COLORADO FROM, THE COURT OF UNIFICATION, I.C.S.C. XIII REIGN

We begin our reign by sending a heart felt THANK YOU SOUTHERN COLORADO COMMUNITY.

You have created anew spark of interest within the Imperial Court of Southern Colorado. We will produce our best efforts to keep your enthusiasm growing to achieve a successful year for all of us.

Fund raising, entertainment, friendships, and just a lot of plain fun together will be at the top of the list for the next year. Watch for scheduled events posted in this newspaper's calendar and in the bars.

Come join us with helping hands, big smiles and your ideas.

Sincerely, H.M.I.M. Dan Entler and H.M.I.M. Barbara Granniss

OPEN LETTER TO THE GAY COMMUNITY AND THE SUPPORTING COMMUNITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS

It is with great pleasure that we announce the new Pikes Peak Gay Community Center. We cordially invite you to attend our Open House(s) on July 19, 20 and 21 from 7 to 9 p.m.

You will not only have a chance to see what the Center has to offer you; you will also have the opportunity to meet representatives of the support groups which are available and active in our Community. The various groups will act as your hosts for the three evenings.

The Center will offer a lending library which will include books and video films to all members of PPGCC. If you are not a current member but would like to share in this privilege, reduced memberships will be offered at the Open Houses.

Come and get acquainted with us and allow us to get acquainted with you. To be a successful Community Center, we need to work together. WE are the COMMUNITY. Meet us at 313 N. Tejon in suites 15 & 16 (above the Lotus Eater).

NEW LESBIAN PUBLICATION ON TAP IN IOWA

AMES,Iowa--A group of lesbians here have decided to launch a lesbian quarterly magazine which will include features, profiles, travel, arts and entertainment, politics, news, short stories and poetry, and sports. The publication, called THE NEW MOON, is scheduled to hit the newsstands in October.

For subscription or other information, write to THE NEW MOON, 2 Kings Terrace, Ames, Iowa, 50010, or call (515) 292-1972. (Jennie McKnight--GCN)

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REV. MARION HARRISON, PPMCC, ELECTED TO DISTRICT COMMITTEE

At the recent Spring Mid-Central District Conference of the Universal Fellowship of Metropolitan Community Churches, (Pikes Peak MCC is a member) in St. Louis, MO, Rev. Marion Harrison was elected to the District Committee as the Clergy Representative.

Rev. Harrison was also relicensed by the District Clergy Review Committee for another two years.

Jonelle Neighbor (who moved to Colorado Springs recently from Minneapolis, MN) was elected to District as Lay Representative.

The District Conference accepted PPMCC's bid to host the 1990 May meeting, here in Colorado Springs.

PPMCC'S REV. HARRISON TO BE INSTALLED

The Installation of Rev. Marion Harrison, postponed from last November, has been rescheduled for Sunday, July 31 at 5p.m.

The Rev. Bonnie Daniels, former pastor of PPMCC, and currently Mid-Central District Coordinator, will be the guest Preacher and Installing Officer. A reception will be held following the service and the Community is invited to attend.

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PPMCC TO HOST TRIP TO ELITCH'S

PPMCC will host a trip to Elitch Gardens in Denver, on Saturday, July 30. This trip is open to everyone in the community.

Elitch's is an amusement park featuring rides, musical attractions, gardens, etc. Admission "will be in the neighborhood of $7.75 and will include all rides, but no food." Car pooling is possible.

They plan to leave from the Unitarian Church at 9a.m., to make reservations call PPMCC at 634-3771.

MCC MEMORIAL WALL TO BE PERMANENT MONUMENT TO THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

The Metropolitan Community Church in Los Angeles is planning a special Twentieth Anniversary. They have envisioned a "Memorial Wall" designed to "permanently remember those of our members, friends, family and community who have died; and those who have died from AIDS often leaving no one but us to remember them."

The Wall will extend the length of their new sanctuary's west wall and will contain five alcoves providing intimate, personal areas along the wall. Each wall will be adorned with individual memorial plaques, the size and color being chosen by the giver.

Support of this memorial, designed by architect Diane Caughey, will fund the renovation of their new church building and sanctuary in Culver City.

For detailed information about the plaques and the Memorial Wall, see the information in the Library room of the Center, 313 N. Tejon, or call (213) 856-7070 or (213) 930-1600.

LANDMARK DECISION FOR GAY COUPLE RIGHTS

BOSTON--In a landmark decision for gay men and lesbians, a Massachusetts Superior Court Justice ruled on May 25 that the lover of a man who died of AIDS is entitled to the deceased's ashes. The ruling by Bristol County Justice Chris Byron allowed that oral instructions for the disposition of one's remains after death may be respected and followed by the courts.

According to Lawyers from Gay and Lesbian Advocates and Defenders (GLAD), the decision marks the first time a Massachusetts court has clearly recognized the enforceability of an oral statement in the absence of a written document.

"This is also the first time," said Gary Buseck, the GLAD cooperating attorney who handled the case, "a Massachusetts court has extended this right of possession to a party who is not a spouse or a biological family member."

Kevin Cathcart, executive director of GLAD, said "This case is similar to Karen Thompson and Sharon Kowalski's case," [Thompson has been prevented from seeing her lover since soon after Kowalski was severly injured in a car accident] "Kevin Clarke was prevented by the Reilly family (his lover's estranged family) as Thompson was prevented by the Kowalski family, from fulfilling promises each made to their lover...Gay people's rights can be protected by the courts, but we should not have to go through these battles the way that Kevin did. Until the law recognizes our lovers as a matter of course, we must take appropriate legal arrangements to protect ourselves." (Elizabeth Pincus--GCN)

SURVEY SHOWS ANTI-GAY VIOLENCE DRAMATICALLY UP

WASHINGTON--A report released this month by the National GAy and Lesbian Task Force (NGLTF) revealed that anti lesbian/gay harassment and violence reached a record high in 1987. Across the U.S. 7,008 incidents were reported to NGLTF, compared with 4,946 incidents reported in 1986.

NGLTF urges all victims of anti lesbian/gay harassment and violence to contact local anti-violence projects where they exist or the National Gay/Lesbian Crisisline at (800) 221-7044.

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SENATOR CHAFFEE SIGNS ONTO LESBIAN/GAY CIVIL RIGHTS BILL

As a result of constituent lobbying by National Gay and Lesbian Task Force members, and efforts by the Human Rights Campaign Fund, John Chaffee (R-RI) became the tenth Senator to sign onto the Senate version of the federal lesbian and gay civil rights bill.

In a statement provided to NGLTF, Senator Chaffee said, "I believe that equal opportunity must be guaranteed for all Americans. To discriminate against individuals because of race, sex age or sexual orientation is to deny them their civil rights. Based on this conviction I am proud to give my strong support to S.464."

S.464 amends the 1964 Civil Rights act to include non-discrimination based on sexual or affectional orientation. Other Senate co-sponsors include: Alan Cranston (D-CA), Lowell Weicker (R-CT), Daniel Inoyue (D-HI), Paul Simon (D-IL), Edward Kennedy (D-MA), John Kerry (D-MA), Barbara Mikulski (D-MD), Daniel Moynihan (D-NY) and Brock Adams (D-WA).

AIDS WALK SLATED FOR ORANGE COUNTY

A ten kilometer fundraising walkathon to fund the fight against AIDS in Orange County, California is scheduled for Sunday, July 31.

Sponsors of this event include COORS Light, DIGITAL, Pacific Mutual, Member of Pacific Financial Companies, and the Long Beach Community Center.

NATIONAL PRESS RELEASES AND NEWS TO BE AVAILABLE AT CENTER

Copies of many press releases and news bulletins will be available in the Center's new Library.

These as well as newspapers from all over the country will be available to read when you visit our facility.

If you need copies made, please call the HELPLINE and leave a message for Michelle, with the specific things you need copies of and she will see to it that you get what you need.

LESBIAN/GAY COALITION GEARS UP FOR NATIONAL POLITICAL CONVENTIONS

WASHINGTON, D.C.--A coalition of gay and lesbian political organizations has formed to strengthen gay power and visibility in the upcoming Democratic and Republican national conventions and help shape the party platforms of both presidential campaigns.

Gay and Lesbian VOICE 88--[V]oters [O]rganized [I]n [C]oalition for the [E]lection--will maximize gay visibility, influence the selection of vice presidential nominees and lobby for the inclusion of lesbian and gay civil rights and AIDS issue in the 1988 election platforms.

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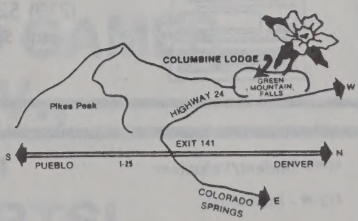

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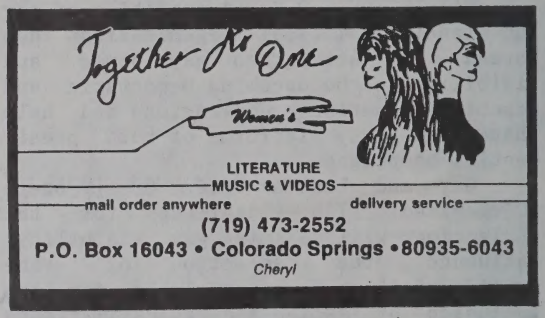

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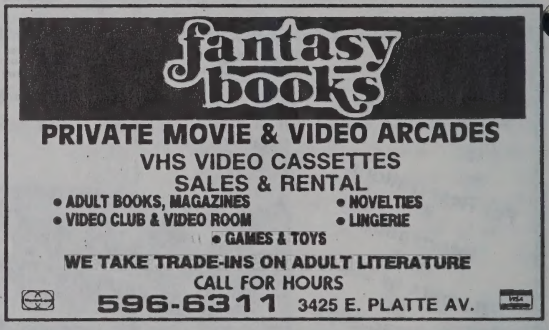

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MON. JULY 11: Christopher St. meeting, call the HELPLINE for location, 7p.m.; GAY AA 8p.m. Dr.'s Hospital.

TUES. JULY 12: HELPLINE MEETING AND PICNIC (CHECK YOUR INVITATIONS FOR MORE INFORMATION)6:30p.m.; PPMCC Board of Directors Meeting, 6:30p.m.

WED. JULY 13: 40+ Women 7p.m. monthly planning meeting and July Birthday celebration; PPMCC Discussion Group/Bible Study 7p.m.

THURS. JULY 14: S.O.S. 7:30p.m.; PPMCC Choir rehearsal, 6p.m.; C.G.R.A. State General Membership meeting; Charlies in Denver, 8p.m.

FRI. JULY 15: GAY AA 8p.m.

SAT. JULY 16: ICSC "P.R. BALL" at the Springs Motor Inn Ballroom, door opens at 6p.m., show at 7p.m. (NEW PRINCE AND PRINCESS ROYAL'S TO BE ANNOUNCED.

SUN. JULY 17:Christ Chapel 10:30a.m. service; PPMCC Choir Practice 4p.m.; PPMCC Worship/social hour 5p.m.

MON. JULY 18: GAY AA 8p.m.; C.G.R.A.'s C.S. Board meeting, 6p.m. The Exit; C.G.R.A.'s C.S. general membership meeting, 7p.m. The Exit.

TUES. JULY 19: PIKES PEAK GAY COMMUNITY CENTER MONTHLY BOARD MEETING--The Board invites the Community to join us for the first of three OPEN HOUSES AT OUR NEW COMMUNITY CENTER, 7p.m. refreshments will be served.

This Open House will be hosted by the Pikes Peak Gay Community Center's Board and the HELPLINE.

WED. JULY 20: 40+ WOMEN , CHRISTOPHER ST. and Christ Chapel will host the second PPGCC OPEN HOUSE at the new Center location 7p.m.; PPMCC Discussion group/Bible study 7p.m.

THURS. JULY 21: SISTERS OF SAPPHO and STEP ONE will host the third PPGCC Open House at the new Center location, 7p.m.; PPMCC Choir rehearsal 6p.m.

FRI. JULY 22: GAY AA, 8P.M. Doctor's Hospital.

SAT. JULY 23: PICNIC IN COLORADO SPRINGS FOR 40+ WOMEN, CHRISTOPHER ST. AND STEP ONE, call the HELPLINE for more information.

SUN. JULY 24: Christ Chapel 10:30a.m.; PPMCC choir rehearsal, 4p.m.; PPMCC Worship/social hour 5p.m.

MON. JULY 25: Gay AA 8p.m.

TUES. JULY 26:

WED. JULY 27: 40+ Women guest speaker from the U.S. geological survey, with a slide presentation; PPMCC Discussion group/Bible Study 7p.m.

THURS. JULY 28: S.O.S. 7:30p.m.; PPMCC Choir rehearsal, 6p.m.; 1988 Colorado Womyn's Wilderness Retreat, through Aug. 1, LaPorte, CO

FRI. JULY 29: GAY AA 8P.M. DOCTOR'S HOSPITAL

SAT. JULY 30. PPMCC DAY TRIP TO ELITCH GARDEN'S IN DENVER, 9A.M. (SEE ARTICLE IN "CENTER NEWS"

SUN. JULY 31: Christ Chapel 10:30a.m.; PPMCC Choir rehearsal 4p.m.; PPMCC Installation of Rev. Marion Harrison (see article), Rev. Bonnie Daniel, preacher, reception will follow. 5p.m.

AUGUST EVENTS:

MON. AUG 1: GAY AA 8P.M. DR.'S HOSPITAL.

TUES. AUG 2: Step One, 7p.m. at the Center, discuss why gay/lesbian "buzz" word for other gays is now "Family", does it really apply?

WED. AUG 3: 40+ Women, 7p.m. the Center; PPMCC Bible Study, 7p.m.

THURS. AUG 4: SISTERS OF SAPPHO, 7:30 P.M., call HELPLINE for location; PPMCC Choir rehearsal 6p.m.

FRI. AUG 5: GAY AA at Dr.'s Hospital

SAT. AUG. 6

SUN. AUG 7: Christ Chapel, 10:30 a.m.; PPMCC Choir Rehearsal,4p.m.; Community Worship/social hour 5p.m.

MON. AUG 8: GAY AA 8p.m., Dr.'s Hospital; Christopher St., 7p.m. the Center.

TUES. AUG. 9:

WED. AUG. 10:PPMCC BIBLE STUDY, 7P.M.; 40+ WOMEN, 7P.M. the Center.

THURS. AUG 11: S.O.S. 7:30P.M., call HELPLINE for location; PPMCC choir rehearsal 6p.m.

FRI. Aug. 12: GAY AA 8p.m., Dr.'s Hospital

SAT. AUG. 13:

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